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$$= \sum_j \frac{\partial Y}{\partial Q_j} \sum_i \left(\frac{\partial X}{\partial Q_i} \frac{\partial Q_j}{\partial P_i} - \frac{\partial X}{\partial P_i} \frac{\partial Q_j}{\partial Q_i} \right) + \sum_j \frac{\partial Y}{\partial P_j} \sum_i \left(\frac{\partial X}{\partial Q_i} \frac{\partial P_j}{\partial P_i} - \frac{\partial X}{\partial P_i} \frac{\partial P_j}{\partial Q_i} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_j \left\{ \frac{\partial Y}{\partial Q_j} [X, Q_j]_{Q.P} + \frac{\partial Y}{\partial P_j} [X, P_j]_{Q.P} \right\} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Further

$$[X, Q_j]_{Q.P} = -[Q_j, X]_{Q.P}$$

$$= - \sum_m \left\{ \frac{\partial Q_j}{\partial Q_m} \frac{\partial X}{\partial P_m} - \frac{\partial Q_j}{\partial P_m} \frac{\partial X}{\partial Q_m} \right\}$$

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$$= - \sum_{m,k} \left\{ \frac{\partial Q_j}{\partial Q_m} \left(\frac{\partial X}{\partial Q_k} \frac{\partial Q_k}{\partial P_m} + \frac{\partial X}{\partial P_k} \frac{\partial P_k}{\partial P_m} \right) \right.$$

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$$= - \sum_{m \neq j} \left\{ \frac{\partial q_j}{\partial q_m} \left(\frac{\partial X}{\partial q_m} \frac{\partial q_j}{\partial p_m} + \frac{\partial X}{\partial p_m} \frac{\partial p_j}{\partial p_m} \right) \right.$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
 &= - \sum_K \left\{ \frac{\partial X}{\partial z_K} \sum_m \left(\frac{\partial z_j}{\partial q_m} \frac{\partial z_K}{\partial p_m} - \frac{\partial z_j}{\partial p_m} \frac{\partial z_K}{\partial q_m} \right) \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + \frac{\partial X}{\partial p_K} \sum_m \left(\frac{\partial z_j}{\partial q_m} \frac{\partial p_K}{\partial p_m} - \frac{\partial z_j}{\partial p_m} \frac{\partial p_K}{\partial q_m} \right) \right\} \\
 &= - \sum_K \left\{ \frac{\partial X}{\partial z_K} [q_j, z_K]_{q,p} + \frac{\partial X}{\partial p_K} [z_j, p_K]_{q,p} \right\} \\
 &= - \sum_K \frac{\partial X}{\partial p_K} \delta_{jK} = - \frac{\partial X}{\partial p_j} \quad \text{--- (5)}
 \end{aligned}$$

Similarly,

$$[X, p_j]_{q,p} = \frac{\partial X}{\partial q_j}$$

Putting eq (3) & (4) in eq (2) we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 [X, Y]_{q,p} &= \sum \left\{ - \frac{\partial Y}{\partial q_j} \frac{\partial X}{\partial p_j} + \frac{\partial Y}{\partial p_j} \frac{\partial X}{\partial q_j} \right\} \\
 &= [X, Y]_{q,p}
 \end{aligned}$$

Which proves that Poisson brackets are Invariants with respect to Canonical transformation.

We have shown that a Canonical Transformation can be generated from function $F_1(q, p, t)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\cancel{F_2(q, p, t)} \quad F_2(q, p, t) \\
 &F_3(p, q, t) \\
 &F_4(p, q, t)
 \end{aligned}$$

Now In the case of F_1 generating function we have derived the

Relation

$$p_j = \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial q_j}$$

$$Q_j = - \frac{\partial F_1}{\partial p_j}$$

From these Relation

$$\frac{\partial p_i}{\partial Q_i} = \frac{\partial^2 F_1}{\partial Q_i \partial q_j} = - \frac{\partial p_j}{\partial q_j} \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

Similarly in the case of $F_2(q, p, t)$ generating function. the Relation are

$$p_j = \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial q_j}$$

$$Q_j = \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial p_j}$$

From these Relation we find that

$$\frac{\partial p_j}{\partial p_i} = \frac{\partial^2 F_2}{\partial p_i \partial q_j} = \frac{\partial Q_i}{\partial q_j} \quad \text{--- (6)}$$

Similarly from F_3 and F_4 generating function we can find that

$$\frac{\partial q_j}{\partial Q_i} = \frac{\partial p_i}{\partial p_j} \quad \text{--- (7)}$$

$$\text{and } \frac{\partial q_j}{\partial p_i} = - \frac{\partial Q_i}{\partial p_j} \quad \text{--- (8)}$$

Now we write fundamental poisson bracket as.

$$[Q_i, p_j]_{q,p} = \sum_k \left(\frac{\partial Q_i}{\partial q_k} \frac{\partial p_j}{\partial p_k} - \frac{\partial Q_i}{\partial p_k} \frac{\partial p_j}{\partial q_k} \right)$$

Applying the Results of Eq. (7) & (5), we find

$$[Q_i, P_j]_{q,p} = \sum_K \left(\frac{\partial Q_i}{\partial q_K} \frac{\partial q_K}{\partial \theta_j} + \frac{\partial Q_i}{\partial p_K} \frac{\partial p_K}{\partial \theta_j} \right)$$

$$= \frac{\partial Q_i}{\partial \theta_j} = \delta_{ij}$$

$$= [Q_i, P_j]_{Q,P}$$

And similarly

$$[Q_i, Q_j]_{q,p} = 0 = [Q_i, Q_j]_{Q,P}$$

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